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Governor Gray Davis  
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Dear Governor Davis,

I was very pleased to vote for you for Governor. I know there will be a lot of special interest groups pressuring you for your vote on important issues. I, too, would like to add my request for what I consider the most important issue facing our state: the use of our water. I believe our very lives, not to mention livelihoods for many, and happiness for most, depend on our protecting our watersheds and fisheries, improving water quality, and investing in water conservation. Please do what I voted for you to do: look at the long-range human view, not the expedient, political view. Please make sure the CALFED program:

- invests in water efficiency for at least seven years before considering new dams or reservoirs;
- restores our rivers, bays, and fisheries by providing adequate fresh water and caring for the land around our rivers;
- improves water quality for people and wildlife by enforcing pollution limits;
- stops making taxpayers pick up the tab for studies of new dams and reservoirs that flood valuable habitat and remove needed water from our rivers.

Thank you for doing what is right for California and the future of our planet.

Sincerely,



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